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In re Application of:

Paul C. HASSLER

Serial No.: 09/549,002

Filed: April 14, 2000

For: REPLACEABLE, REUSABLE COLLAR  
THAT TEMPORARILY PROTECTS  
ROADWAY STRUCTURES

) Group Art Unit: 3671

) Examiner: K. Markovich

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

AMENDMENT

In response to the Official Action dated October 24, 2001, the period of response having been extended to February 24, 2002 by a one-month extension of time and fee filed currently herewith, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 1, as follows:

*B1* 1. A system for protecting a roadway structure from damage caused by vehicular

*CI* traffic and vice versa, the roadway structure extending above a roadway pavement, the system comprising: